

Scenic Road Facts:

By scenic roads in Virginia. About 2,500 miles of the roads marked in green are official Virginia Byways. While traveling the scenic roads, you will see the signs with red cardinals and dogwood blossoms. Another 600 miles, marked in black-green, are other scenic roads that have been scouted by the Virginia Department of Transportation and the Department of Conservation and Recreation. These roads meet both agencies' standards of high aesthetic or cultural value and lead to or are within areas of historical, natural or recreational interest. The designations are made in cooperation with local governments. The Chesapeake Bay Gateways Network, the National Park Service and the Department of Conservation and Recreation are related natural, cultural, historical and recreational sites in Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia.

